

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

Jing WU et al.

Application No.: 09/915,263

Filed: July 27, 2001

For: CYCLOALKYL, LACTAM,
LACTONE AND RELATED
COMPOUNDS,
PHARMACEUTICAL
COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING
SAME, AND METHODS FOR
INHIBITING β -AMYLOID PEPTIDE
RELEASE AND/OR ITS SYNTHESIS
BY USE OF SUCH COMPOUNDS



) 'MAIL STOP APPEAL BRIEF

) Group Art Unit: 1624

) Examiner: B. Kifle

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REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

MAIL STOP APPEAL BRIEF

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Sir:

Applicants, through the undersigned, hereby requests that an oral hearing be scheduled before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Board of Appeals in connection with the subject application. Applicants request that the instant oral hearing be held in conjunction with the oral hearing requested for the Appeal in Application Serial No. 09/916,440.

A check in the amount of [] \$140.00 (2403) [X] \$280.00 (1403) is attached hereto to cover the requisite Government fee. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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This appeal is from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated February 12, 2003, finally rejecting Claims 118-120, which are reproduced as an Appendix to this brief.

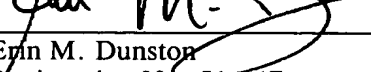
A check covering the [] \$160.00 (2402) [X] \$320.00 (1402) Government fee and two extra copies of this brief are being filed herewith.

Also enclosed is an Amendment After Final Rejection Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116(b) To Accompany Appeal Brief, a Petition for Extension of Time, and a Request for Oral Hearing (submitted in duplicate) and the associated fees.

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